



**ELECTRONIC
INNOVATIONS**
IN ACTION

TUBES

—PRODUCT INFORMATION—

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32HQ7

Compactron Diode-Pentode

■ MULTIFUNCTION

■ LOW HEATER POWER

■ DIFFUSION BONDED DIODE CATHODE

The 32HQ7 is a multifunction compactron containing a high-perveance diode and a beam power pentode. The diode is intended for service as the damping diode and the pentode as the horizontal-deflection amplifier in television receivers.

The diode of the 32HQ7 features a diffusion bonded cathode coating. This coating practically eliminates one of the failure mechanisms in damper diodes, which is back-emission from the anode due to emissive particles being pulled from the cathode by the high electrostatic field.

GENERAL

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Cathode - Coated Unipotential

Heater Characteristics and Ratings

Heater Voltage, AC or DC.....32.6 Volts

Heater Current..... 0.315 ± 0.02 Amperes

Heater Warm-up Time, average..... 11 Seconds

Direct Interelectrode Capacitances, approximate▲

Pentode Section

Grid-Number 1 to Plate: (Pg1 to Pp) 0.3 pf

Input: Pg1 to (h + Pk + Pg2 + Pb.p.) 14 pf

Output: Pp to (h + Pk + Pg2 + Pb.p.) 6.9 pf

Diode Section

Cathode to Plate and Heater: Dk to (h + Dp).....8.2 pf

Plate to Cathode and Heater: Dp to (h + Dk).....6.1 pf

Heater to Cathode: (h to Dk) 2.5 pf

MECHANICAL

Operating Position - Any

Envelope - T-12, Glass

Base - E12-74, Button 12-Pin

Outline Drawing - EIA 12-56

Maximum Diameter 1.563 Inches

Minimum Diameter..... 1.437 Inches

Maximum Over-all Length..... 2.875 Inches

Maximum Seated Height 2.500 Inches

Minimum Seated Height 2.250 Inches

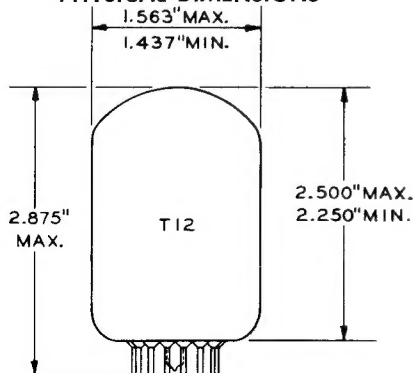
MAXIMUM RATINGS

Design-Maximum ratings are limiting values of operating and environmental conditions applicable to a bogey electron tube of a specified type as defined by its published data and should not be exceeded under the worst probable conditions.

The tube manufacturer chooses these values to provide acceptable serviceability of the tube, making allowance for the effects of changes in operating conditions due to variations in the characteristics of the tube under consideration.

The equipment manufacturer should design so that initially and throughout life no design-maximum value for the intended service is exceeded with a bogey tube under the worst probable operating conditions with respect to supply-voltage variation, equipment component variation, equipment control adjustment, load variation, signal variation, environmental conditions, and variations in the characteristics of all other electron devices in the equipment.

PHYSICAL DIMENSIONS

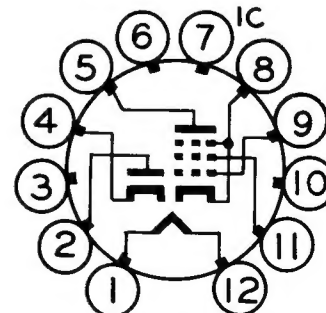


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TERMINAL CONNECTIONS

- Pin 1 - Heater
- Pin 2 - Diode Plate
- ⊕ Pin 3 - No Connection
- Pin 4 - Diode Cathode
- Pin 5 - Pentode Plate
- ⊕ Pin 6 - No Connection
- ⊕ Pin 7 - Internal Connection - Do Not Use
- Pin 8 - Pentode Cathode and Beam Plates
- Pin 9 - Pentode Grid Number 1
- ⊕ Pin 10 - No Connection
- Pin 11 - Pentode Grid Number 2 (Screen)
- Pin 12 - Heater

BASING DIAGRAM



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GENERAL ELECTRIC

MAXIMUM RATINGS (Cont'd)**DESIGN-MAXIMUM VALUES****Horizontal-Deflection Amplifier Service □ — Pentode Section**

DC Plate-Supply Voltage (Boost + DC Power Supply).....	400	Volts
Peak Positive Pulse Plate Voltage.....	4000	Volts
Peak Negative Pulse Plate Voltage.....	0	Volts
Screen Voltage.....	150	Volts
Negative DC Grid-Number 1 Voltage.....	55	Volts
Peak Negative Grid-Number 1 Voltage.....	330	Volts
Plate Dissipation†.....	7.0	Watts
Screen Dissipation.....	3.0	Watts
DC Cathode Current.....	125	Milliamperes
Peak Cathode Current.....	440	Milliamperes
Heater-Cathode Voltage		
Heater Positive with respect to Cathode		
DC Component.....	100	Volts
Total DC and Peak.....	200	Volts
Heater Negative with respect to Cathode		
Total DC and Peak.....	200	Volts
Grid-Number 1 Circuit Resistance.....	1.0	Megohms
TV Damper Service □ — Diode Section		
Peak Inverse Plate Voltage.....	3300	Volts
Plate Dissipation.....	3.8	Watts
Steady-State Peak Plate Current.....	600	Milliamperes
DC Output Current.....	120	Milliamperes
Heater-Cathode Voltage		
Heater Positive with respect to Cathode		
DC Component.....	100	Volts
Total DC and Peak.....	200	Volts
Heater Negative with respect to Cathode		
DC Component.....	400	Volts
Total DC and Peak.....	3300	Volts
Bulb Temperature at Hottest Point.....	200	°C

CHARACTERISTICS AND TYPICAL OPERATION**AVERAGE CHARACTERISTICS****Pentode Section**

Plate Voltage.....	3500	50	110	Volts
Screen Voltage.....	110	110	110	Volts
Grid-Number 1 Voltage.....	---	0‡	-22.5	Volts
Plate Resistance, approximate.....	---	---	8400	Ohms
Transconductance.....	---	---	4500	Micromhos
Plate Current.....	---	240	42	Milliamperes
Screen Current.....	---	19	2.4	Milliamperes
Grid-Number 1 Voltage, approximate				
Ib = 1.0 Milliamperes.....	-90	---	-40	Volts
Triode Amplification Factor§.....	---	---	3.2	

Diode Section

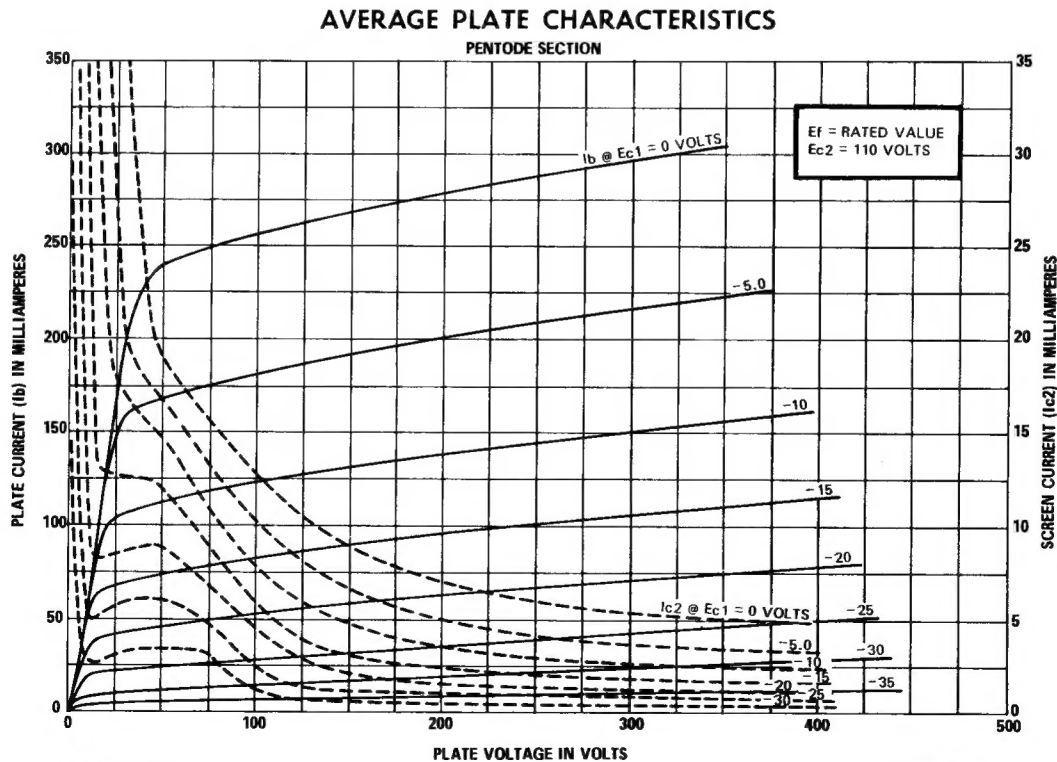
Tube Voltage Drop, approximate				
Ib = 200 Milliamperes DC.....	16			Volts

NOTES

- ★ Heater voltage for a bogey tube at $I_f = 0.315$ amperes.
- The equipment designer should design the equipment so that heater current is centered at the specified bogey value, with heater supply variations restricted to maintain heater current within the specified tolerance.
- ◆ The time required for the voltage across the heater to reach 80 percent of the bogey value after applying 4 times the bogey heater voltage to a circuit consisting of the tube heater in series with a resistance equal to 3 times the bogey heater voltage divided by the bogey heater current.
- ▲ Without external shield.
- ⊗ Socket terminals 3, 6, 7, and 10 should not be used as tie points.
- For operation in a 525-line, 30-frame television system as described in "Standards of Good Engineering Practice Concerning Television Broadcast Stations", Federal Communications Commission. The duty cycle of the voltage pulse must not exceed 15 percent of one scanning cycle.
- † In stages operating with grid-leak bias, an adequate cathode-bias resistor or other suitable means is required to protect the tube in the absence of excitation.
- ‡ Applied for short interval (two seconds maximum) so as not to damage tube.
- § Triode connection (screen tied to plate) with $E_b = E_{c2} = 130$ volts and $E_{c1} = -22.5$ volts.

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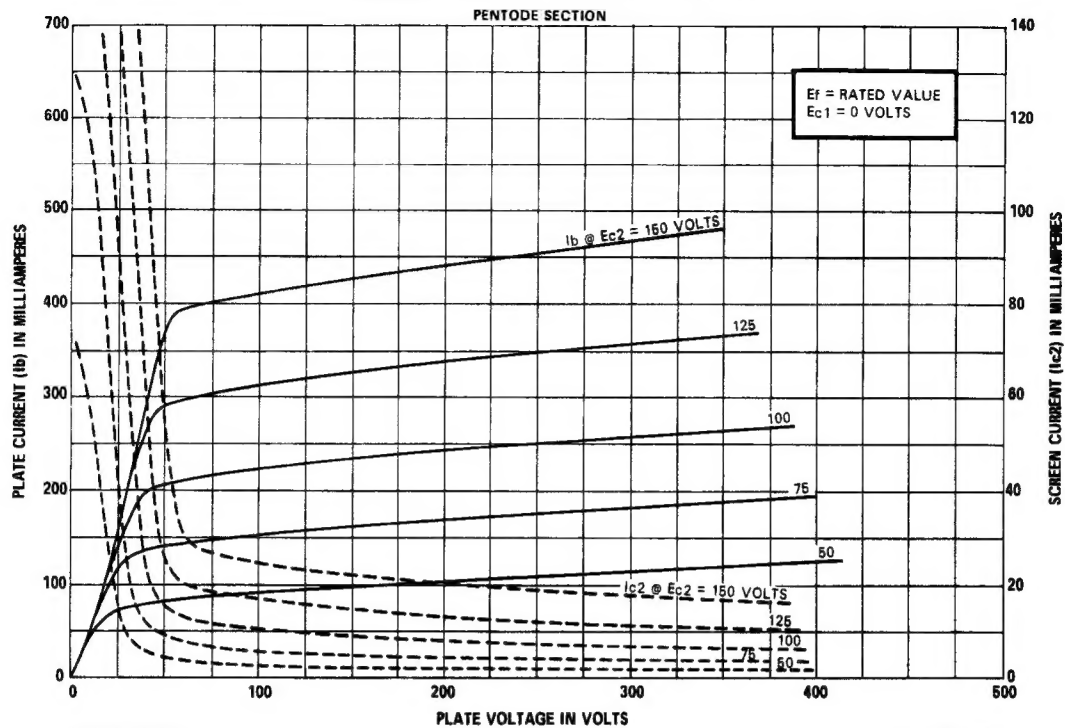
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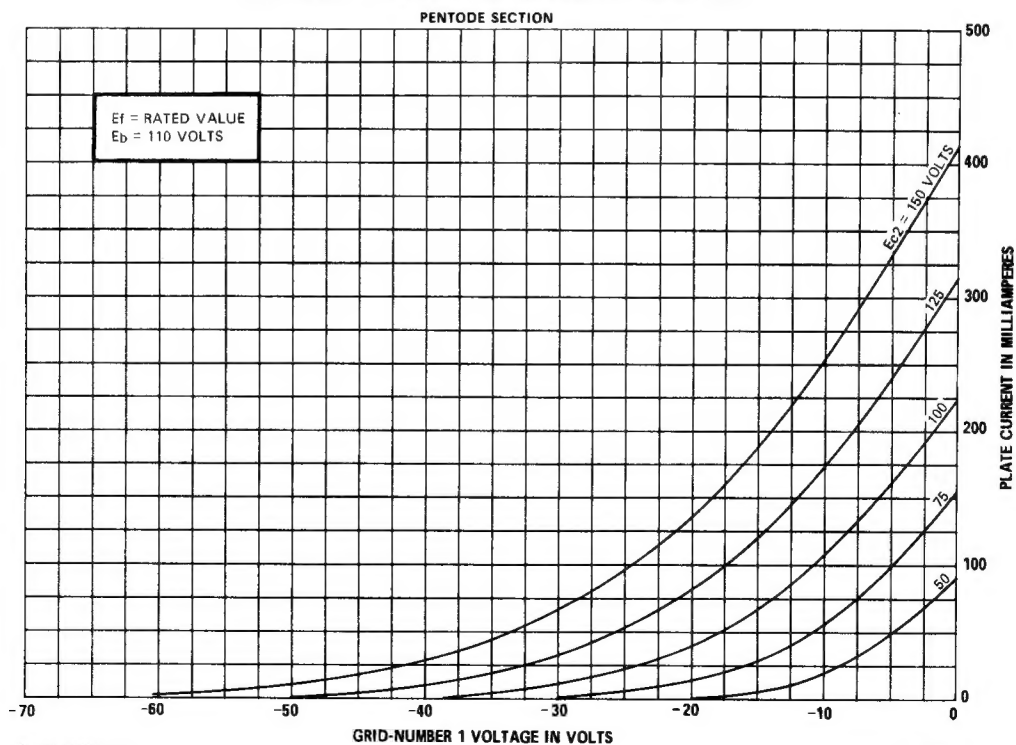
AVERAGE PLATE CHARACTERISTICS



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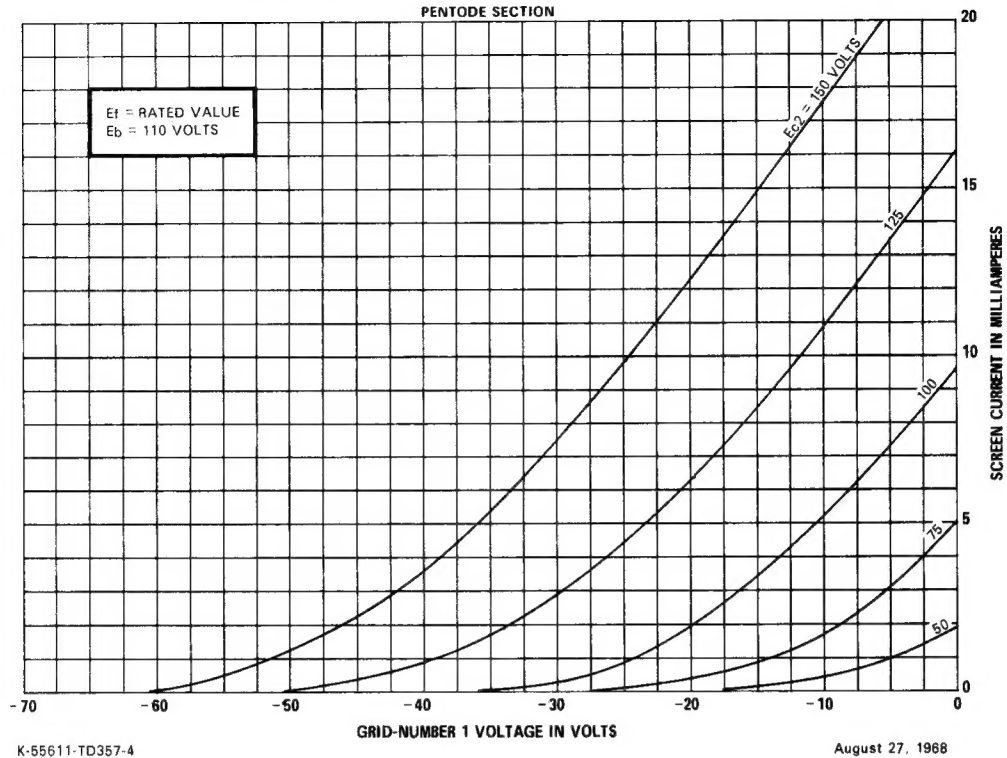
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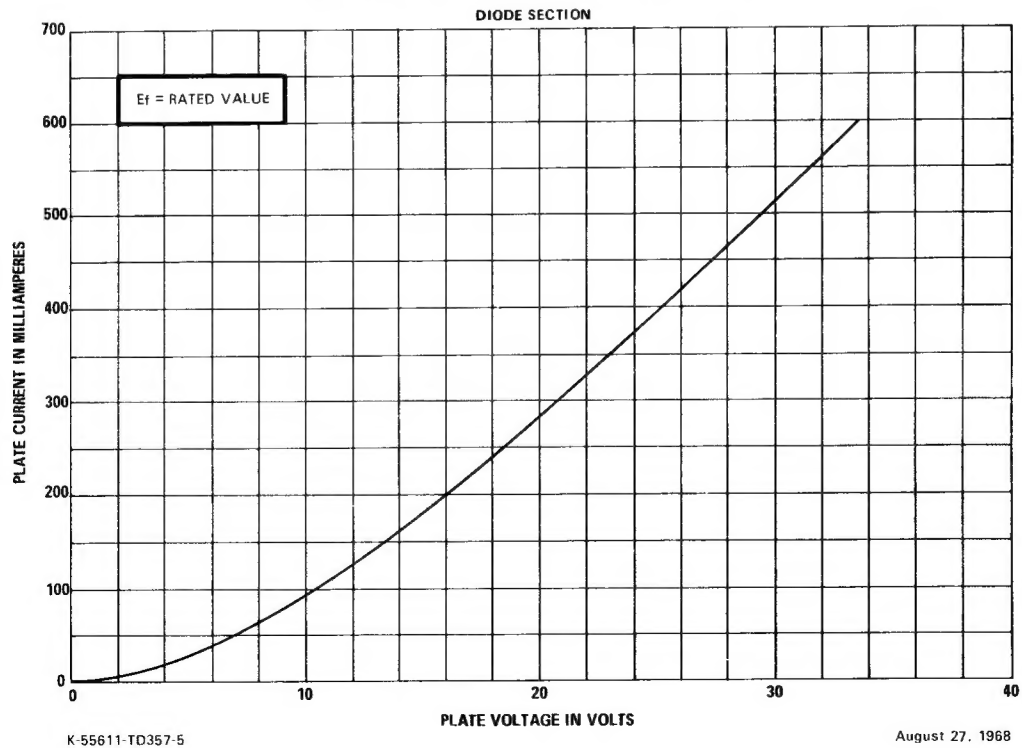
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